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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 3389

AMEMBASSY PANAMA IMMEDIATE

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TAGS: CDES (HENDERSON, PETER)

SUBJECT: DEATH AMERICAN CITIZEN: PETER HENDERSON

REF: TUCKER-GROSS TELECON OCT 5.

1. CONFIRM PETER HENDERSON KILLED IN HELICOPTER CRASH NEAR PALIN, GUATEMALA APPROXIMATELY 1235 HRS OCT. 4. HENDERSON VICE PRESIDENT OF FIRST NATIONAL CITY BANK OF PANAMA. IDENTIFICATION MADE BY CITIBANK LAWYER HERE IN GUATEMALA AND CITIBANK EMPLOYEES ALL OF WHOM KNEW MR. HENDERSON. BODY HAS BEEN EMBALMED AND CITIBANK WILL ASSUME ALL FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS CONNECTION PREPARATION AND SHIPMENT. BODY WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY BANK OFFICIAL.

2. MR. GEORGE E. HAGERMAN, SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT CITIBANK NEW YORK, IN GUATEMALA CITY. TOLD CONOFF MR. HENDERSON'S WIFE IN PANAMA HAD BEEN NOTIFIED OF DEATH AND SHE WANTS REMAINS SHIPPED TO SAVANNAH GEORGIA. MRS. HENDERSON'S MOTHER AND FATHER FLYING TO PANAMA TO ACCOMPANY HER BACK TO U.S.

3. TRYING TO REACH AMEMBASSY PANAMA BY TELEPHONE FOR WHAT INFO HEY MIGHT BE ABLE SUPPLY FROM THEIR FILES FOR COMPLETION REPORT OF DEATH. ALSO TO SEE IF THEY CAN CONTACT WIDOW FOR INFORMATION AS TO NAME OF FUNERAL HOME IN SAVANNAH. WILL TRY ARRANGE SHIPMENT AS SOON AS THIS INFORMATION AVAILABLE.
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